

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 696

By Southerland

A RESOLUTION to recognize and congratulate the Chuckey-Doak High School varsity cheerleaders upon their participation in the 2016 Universal Spirit All-Star Prep Nationals.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly are pleased to specially honor and commend those successful high school athletic teams who, through their magnificent exploits, bring honor to Tennessee and serve as exceptional ambassadors of this State; and

WHEREAS, the Chuckey-Doak High School varsity cheerleaders have achieved an extraordinary level of success during their season, furthered by their participation in the 2016 Universal Spirit All-Star Prep Nationals; and

WHEREAS, the Lady Knights earned the "Grand Champions" award for their division, thus demonstrating their hard work and dedication to athletic excellence; and

WHEREAS, the squad's championship season would not have been possible without the astute knowledge and leadership of their coaches, Lizzie Meagan Talley, Laura Rees, and Jessica Medlin; and

WHEREAS, members of the 2016 Chuckey-Doak High School varsity cheerleading squad are: Morgan Brown, Kendra Campbell, Madison Buchanan, Summer Dawn, Kenya Frye, Lauren Carter, Maddison Sayers, Hallie Frank, Savannah Southerland, Madi Baldwin, Danielle Mathes, Skylar Bacon, Sedona Rice, and Gracie Wilson; and

WHEREAS, displaying great sportsmanship and outstanding character throughout the season, the cheerleading squad, their coaches, and their devoted fans have conducted themselves in a manner appropriate to the integrity of the State of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, the Chuckey-Doak High School varsity cheerleaders epitomize all that is good in today's student athletes, as they have achieved a premier level of success in competition while exhibiting the highest degree of character in all aspects of life; and

WHEREAS, the perseverance, determination, work ethic, and talent of this group of young athletes not only made possible a trip to the national competition, but also surely bodes well for their success in every future endeavor; and

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly find it appropriate to acknowledge and applaud the members of the Chuckey-Doak High School varsity cheerleading squad for their outstanding performance and for serving as exemplars of the exceptional quality of the youth of Tennessee; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby recognize and congratulate the Chuckey-Doak High School varsity cheerleaders upon their participation in the 2016 Universal Spirit All-Star Prep Nationals and extend to them our best wishes for every continued success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.